

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ETRD, SW, UR  
SUBJ: SWEDISH PRESS AND OTHERS CONTINUING INTEREST IN STANSAAB  
CASE

1. THE LATEST SWEDISH PRESS ARTICLE ON THE STANSAAB CASE IS AN INACCURATE AND DISTORTED ARTICLE IN EXPRESSEN OF AUGUST 29. IT ATTRIBUTES CURRENT DELAYS IN ISSUING LICENSE TO "A FEW DETAILS BROUGHT UP BY AN AMERICAN SUB-CONTRACTOR," AND REFERS TO "INSTRUCTION RECEIVED BY THE AMERICAN EMBASSY IN SWEDEN TO LOOK FURTHER INTO THE ...DEAL." ARTICLE SPECULATES THAT STANSAAB'S FUTURE IS THREATENED BECAUSE EAST BLOC COUNTRIES, WHERE STANSAAB MIGHT SEEK MORE CONTRACTS, WILL BE RELUCTANT TO DEAL WITH THE COMPANY.

2. EMBASSY HAS ALSO RECEIVED A QUERY FROM RIKSDAG STAFF CONCERNING "HOW AMERICAN EMBARGO LEGISLATION AGAINST EXPORTATION OF STRATEGIC ARTICLES TO ENEMY STATES INFLUENCES SWEDISH INDUSTRY, ABOVE ALL HIGH TECHNOLOGICAL (SIC) INDUSTRY." THIS INQUIRY WVE BELIEVE WAS INSPIRED BY A MEMBER OF RIKSDAG, LENNART PETTERSSON, SOCIAL DEMOCRAT OF LUND. PETTERSSON WILL BE VISITING US AS PART OF RIKSDAG INDUSTRIAL COMMITTEE GROUP, BEGINNING WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 5. EMBASSY REPLIED BY SUBMITTING UNCLASSIFIED

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APPROPRIATE EXCERPTS FROM REGULATIONS OF THE EXPORT ADMINISTRATION ACT AND SUGGEST THAT RIKSDAG STAFF SEEK DIRECTLY FROM SWEDISH COMPANIES THEIR EXPERIENCE/VIEWS ON IMPORTING FROM US.

3. COMMENT: SHOULD THE SWEDISH EMBASSY, RESPONSIBLE FOR THE RIKSDAG DELEGATION PROGRAM IN THE US, SCHEDULE MEETINGS IN COMMERCE OR STATE, IT WOULD PRESENT A GOOD OPPORTUNITY TO

EXPLAIN OUT EXPORT CONTROLS.

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